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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Responsive to the action mailed March 27, 2007, applicant elects the invention of Group I, Claims 1-36 and 40-44, drawn to the embodiment of a medical device. The election is made without traverse.

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